

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventor: Genichiro OTA et al.

Art Unit 2611

Appln. No.: 10/565,380

Exr. K. Timory

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Conf. No. 5562

For: MODULATION APPARATUS, DEMODULATION APPARATUS,
MODULATION METHOD AND DEMODULATION METHOD

SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE OF TELEPHONE INTERVIEW
PURSUANT TO MPEP 713.04

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants wish to thank the examiner for the courtesy extended to Applicants' representative during a telephone interview conducted on February 16, 2011. The participants were Examiner Kabir Timory and David Ward, Reg. No. 45,198. A summary of the substance of the interview is provided below.

The examiner called Applicants' representative to inform him that the Office would be issuing an Action in which the pending claims would be rejected under section 112, first paragraph for lack of support within the original application. More specifically, the examiner proposed that the original application does not provide support for the term "symbol frequency" added to claims 1, 2, 4-6, and 8 to replace the phrase "fundamental frequency."

If any issues remain which may best be resolved through a telephone communication, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned at the local Washington, D.C. telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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